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RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION

Sir:

Applicants thank the Examiner for his time spent and the consideration given to this matter during a August 15, 2002 telephonic interview.

In response to the Office Action mailed June 20, 2002 ("the Office Action"), Applicants respectfully submit the following Response. Applicants believe that no fees are due at this time, however, if any additional fees are due, the Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any required fees to Deposit Account No. 20-0531.

REMARKS

Status of the Claims

Claims 1-25 are pending in the application. Claims 6-20, 24 and 25 are withdrawn from consideration. The Office Action rejects claims 1-5 and 21-23. Claims 1 and 21 are the only independent claims.